

ANNUAL REPORT

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WENTWORTH

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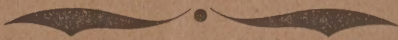
SELECTMEN, TREASURER, ROAD AGENTS AND SCHOOL BOARD

For The Fiscal Year Ending Feb. 15, 1896.

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REPORT OF SELECTMEN,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1896.

The Selectmen have assessed and turned over to the collector for collection :

Resident cash assessment	\$3048 52
Non-resident cash assessment	164 30
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	\$3212 82

The Selectmen have received and paid to the town treasurer :

From county, support of paupers, May term	\$28 88
“ “ Nov. term	397 03
Dorchester, for Wentworth's share in school house	20 00
For old school-house stove	50
From E. G. Tenney, for books sold	1 10
State, for bounties	5 75
balance due after paying state taxes	558 75
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	\$1012 01

Selectmen have given orders on town treasurer to pay the following bills :

School board, school money	\$1069 70
Road agent, for oxen	400 00
“ support of roads, 1894	87 56
“ “ “ 1895	1299 32

COUNTY PAUPER BILLS.

Paid D. C. Pillsbury, for care of John Purcell	\$40 50
I. L. Keiley, “ “	62 00
A. A. Brown, on account of “	167 35

Paid E. G. Sprague, M.D., on acct of J. Purcell	\$74 88
Haven Palmer, M. D., " "	10 00
Tufts & Co., " "	6 50
W. W. Mason, coffin and robe " "	13 50
J. E. Foster, for digging grave " "	2 00
A. A. Brown, on account of John Purcell	26 00
Wm. Crane, board and care Peter Clifford	52 00
J. A. Davis, goods for " "	16 30
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	\$471 03

TOWN PAUPER BILLS.

Paid George Bowles, milk and work for J. Clark	\$ 90
W. G. Dexter, board and care of " "	
and wife	27 43
J. W. Lyon, repairing tin ware for J. Clark	25
for recording mortgage for " "	67
Nelson Ellsworth, exp. and work " "	2 53
T. W. Darling, fun. serv. of Mr. Clark	2 00
J. E. Foster, digging grave " "	2 00
H. D. Morey, coffin and box and services with hearse	16 50
W. G. Dexter, board and care of J. Clark	34 00
J. A. Davis, goods furnished J. Clark prior to April 15, 1895	4 95
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	\$91 23

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Paid Artemas Colbura, keeping tramp	\$ 50
J. D. Marston " March, '95	3 00
Warren News, printing reports	14 00
E. C. Eastman, books and blanks	5 00
Library trustees, for bills paid	34 12
Frank Goodell, use of hall, 1894	15 00
T. K. Bruce, return births and deaths	6 25
Geo. Bowers Post, G. A. R., appropriation	25 00
School board, school supplies	87 91
Alpine Sate Co., safe	100 00
J. B. Foster, cash paid out	4 57

Paid W. A. Whitcher, damage on highway	\$20 00
W. W. Johnson, keeping 5 tramps	2 50
Selectmen, bounties on bears and hawks	5 75
W. A. Flanders, services and retainer	15 50
L. W. Moore, use of watering trough	2 00
J. B. Foster, " "	2 00
David Gove, " "	1 50
J. D. Marston, " "	2 50
J. A. Davis, goods	83
J. E. Foster, keeping tramps	1 00
F. A. Durkee, services and return of death	2 25
J. B. Brown, goods	68
G. E. Brown, lighting bridge	15 00
Treasurer F. B. society, lease money	8 77
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	\$375 63

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid John A. Davis, town treasurer	\$25 00
Wm. H. Davis, town clerk	25 00
" district clerk	5 00
J. B. Foster, selectman	75 00
J. E. Foster, "	35 00
G. W. Boyd, "	16 00
Fannie B. Boyd, member school board	17 00
E. G. Tenney, " "	24 00
I. S. Crosby, " "	8 50
J. H. Lund, truant officer	6 00
Wm. H. Davis, collector 1894	4 83
" " 1895	58 36
Thomas Huckins, district treasurer	10 00
Auditors. 1894	6 00
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	\$315 69
Abatement of taxes for 1895	\$7 76

WENTWORTH, Feb. 17, 1896.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

L. W. CURRIER,
 THOMAS HUCKINS, } Auditors.
 E. C. KNIGHT,

ASSETS.

Due from county, support of paupers	\$48 00
Cash in hands of treasurer	930 13
Due from rents on lease land	40 00
collector, unpaid taxes 1895	287 06
“ “ 1894	5 59
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	\$1310 78

LIABILITIES.

Order No. 65 outstanding	26 00
Due public library on appropriation	15 88
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	\$41 88
Balance in favor of town	1268 90
Assets reported last year	1345 90
Making a net loss for the year	77 00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. FOSTER,	} Selectmen of Wentworth.
JOSHUA E. FOSTER,	
GEO. W. BOYD,	

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT,

FROM FEBRUARY 15, 1895, TO MARCH 15, 1895.

J. L. Downing, snow bill and labor	\$10 55
J S. Breck, snow bill	1 42
George H. Brown, snow bill	90
George M. Downing, “	2 50
O. O. Whitcher “	30
Elias McGinnis “	1 12
L. P. Whitcher, “	75
Henry Chase “	3 62
Henry Campbell “	90
W. E. Randall “	90
C. H. Moulton “	50
J. B. Randall “	5 36
Nelson Ellsworth “	5 80

Joshua Colburn, snow bill	\$5 81
Charles Parker "	1 80
C. T. Gove "	1 75
C. A. Foster "	90
Pethuel Downing "	50
J. D. Marston "	6 90
A. B. Colburn "	78
J. B. Foster "	50
W. H. Davis, snowing bridge	1 00
Alonzo Sanders, old snow bill	13 20
.. " snow bill	19 80
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	\$87 56

JOHN L. DOWNING, for the Board.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 14, 1896.

Received orders from selectmen	\$1299 32
Paid out for the following bills:	
Nelson Ellsworth	\$47 59
J. E. Downing, labor	6 25
Lydia Currier, housing machine	2 00
D. N. Eaton, meal	38 55
John Follansbee, labor	8 95
C. J. Follansbee "	3 45
Fred Radford "	6 50
Eben Gove "	3 00
Geo. H. Brown "	7 92
A. B. Heath "	3 75
Henry Bickford "	3 00
Albert Pillsbury "	61 60
Byron Daine "	55 77
J. H. Emery "	54 82
Frank Reed "	39 00
F. M. Meloon "	72 24
Wm. Crane "	31 50
J. D. Marston "	34 35
George True "	11 25
E. Boardman "	3 00
Cicero Clifford "	5 00

True & Walker, labor	\$3 11
Henry Chase "	12 92
D. A. Foster, use of cart	3 00
Charles Parker, labor	2 17
G. L. Sturtevant, blacksmithing	10 80
J. M. Burnham, board bill	18 00
" keeping oxen	4 00
B. H. Merrill, hay	16 48
F. A. Durkee, hay	20 80
C. C. Clifford, labor	32 12
E. McGinnis, "	11 27
H. B. Pease, "	1 50
" board of man and team	2 00
Luther Downing, labor	1 80
Wm. Dexter, "	2 40
B. Randall, "	3 30
J. A. Davis, supplies	1 31
E. Ellsworth, labor	2 40
W. O. Randall, "	14 70
H. G. Blood "	234 20
Charles Turner, "	4 65
Follansbee & Downing, labor	45 00
G. B. Simmons, "	5 25
A. Brown, "	10 67
E. L. Chandler, "	2 25
M. J. Brown, "	2 25
Wm. W. Johnson, "	2 25
John Currier, "	18 00
Fred Flanders, "	13 00
L. P. Whitecher, hay and "	8 50
Ellen A. Foster, board	4 81
A. J. Kimball, " man and team	4 00
" keeping oxen	3 00
Jonas Learnard, board	50
Francis Harris, "	2 00
A. A. Brown, baiting team	50
A. Sanders, board	50
John McLoughlin, labor	4 50

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W. G. Whipple labor	\$1 50
Ed. Whitcher "	4 50
Orrin Clough "	6 00
W. A. Whitcher, "	16 50
J. B. Foster "	3 30
S. M. Libbey "	3 37
E. M. Blodgett, grade	5 00
Geo. W. Boyd, labor	1 50
Amos L. Chase "	4 65
R. McLoughlin "	1 00
F. A. Randall "	4 35
Henry Campbell "	1 50
Knapp & Jewell, lumber	12 14
W. L. Davis, labor	4 50
L. W. Currier, keeping oxen	8 28
E. R. Griffin, repairs	25
C. A. Eaton, labor	4 50
John Page, "	3 00
O. O. Whitcher, "	16 29
A. A. Brown, lumber	123 97
" " and labor	14 29
J. P. Eaton, hay	3 00
V. E. Atwood, lumber and labor	1 58
C. T. Shute, "	4 70
O. G. Page, use of cart and "	2 75
John Sanders, timber and "	4 65
Alba Randall, "	6 75
H. M. Turner, "	4 75
F. G. Clough, "	1 35
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	\$1299 32
Discount on oxen	54 00
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	\$1353 32

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. BLOOD, Road Agent.

TREASURER'S REPORT. **FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1896.**

RECEIPTS.

Feb. 15, 1895, cash in hands of treasurer	\$1033 93
Received from leased land	24 85
county pauper bills	425 91
selectmen one-half interest in Union	
dist., Dorchester and Went-	
worth	20 00
state treasurer, bounties	5 75
" railroad tax	301 78
" savings bank tax	726 17
" literary fund	100 80
selectmen, stove sold	50
" books sold	1 10
road commissioner, oxen sold	346 00
W. H. Davis, collector 1894	241 50
" " 1895	2918 00
town clerk, dog licenses	54 00
	<hr/> \$6200 29

EXPENDITURES.

Paid county tax, 1895	\$616 00	
state " "	570 00	
		<hr/> \$1186 00
Society money.		
Paid Baptist money, 1895		\$8 77
Paid board of education	\$1069 70	
Geo. Bowers Post, G. A. R.	25 00	
		<hr/> \$1094 70
road agents, highway 1894-'95		1386 88
" oxen bought		400 00
Miscellaneous bills paid by order on treas.		1193 81
Cash in hands of treasurer		930.13
		<hr/> \$6200 29

JOHN A. DAVIS, Treasurer.

WENTWORTH, Feb. 17, 1896.

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L. W. CURRIER,
 THOMAS HUCKINS, } Auditors.
 E. C. KNIGHT,

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

Received of town treasurer, support of schools	\$1069 70
Cash left over from last year	92 61
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	\$1162 31

No. 1—West Side.

Paid Edward G. Tenney, teaching 13 weeks, including board	\$78 00
Thomas Huckins, wood, and fitting same	7 00
Arthur Huckins, care sch. room and labor	3 25
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	\$88 25

No. 1—East Side.

Paid Edward G. Tenney, teaching 12 weeks, including board	\$72 00
Asa S. Prescott, care of school room	2 50
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	\$74 50

No. 2.

Paid Elmer E. Lyon, teaching 18 weeks, including board	\$126 00
Mary Smith, teaching 12 weeks inc. board	84 00
B. M. Libbey, sawing wood and piling same in shed	3 15
Sadie Clifford, cleaning school room	2 00
Robert McLoughlin, labor	1 00
Lorenzo Moore "	3 00
Ebenezer Gove, "	4 55
Chas. H. Brown care school room	2 00
Ralph Darling " "	2 50
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	\$228 20

No. 4.

Paid Melia G. Day, teaching 23 weeks including board	\$118 75
S. Walker, labor, material and articles furnished	27 50
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	\$146 25

No. 5.

Paid Hannah Ahern, teaching 8 weeks inc. board	\$40 00
Ezra A Roberts, teaching 15 weeks, inc. board and care of school room	77 50
Charles Parker, wood	9 00
W. A Randall, fitting wood and piling in shed	2 25
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	\$128 75

No. 6.

Paid Elma C. Foster, teaching 25 weeks inc. b'd	\$150 00
J. B. Foster, wood	7 50
Walter M. Foster, care school room, etc.	4 50
E. G. Tenney, conveying stove and setting same	1 00
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	\$163 00

No. 8.

Paid Ben. B. Foster, teaching 8 weeks, inc. board	\$48 00
Lettie G. Colburn, teaching 17 weeks, in- cluding board and care of school room	104 00
C. E. Brown, for wood	3 75
Fannie B. Boyd, cleaning school room	2 00
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	\$157 75

Paid Ardie F. Brown, teaching 8 weeks, inc. b'd	\$40 00
Lela G. Brown, teaching 16 weeks, inc. b'd	96 00
Amos Rollins, wood	3 50
Knight & Crosby, wood	2 00
Charles Turner, repairs, etc.	1 25
Allan Downing, care of school room	1 75
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	\$144 50

Paid J. B. Brown, articles furnished	\$3 43
John A. Davis " "	95
J. W. Lyon " "	1 02
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	\$5 40

Total paid out	\$1136 60
Cash in hands of treasurer	25 71

THOMAS HUCKINS, Treas. of School Board.

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L. W. CURRIER, }
E. C. KNIGHT, } Auditors.

Wentworth, Feb. 17, 1896.

SCHOOL REPORT.

To the citizens of Wentworth:

The School Board, having in charge the supervision of the schools in town for the past year, would say in presenting our report that we have endeavored to secure good teachers, and think as a rule we have with but two or three exceptions. Some of the inhabitants in some districts are much inclined to find fault with the teacher, when, if the truth were known, the teacher is all right and would make everything a success if the parents would only teach their children to obey the rules of the school instead of joining with them in the plea that it is the teacher's fault.

Most of our young teachers have been very successful in the schools where they have taught, but it is necessary that they attend school more before becoming competent to teach the larger and more advanced schools. We would recommend the Normal School for such unless they have an opportunity to enter a good training school, or better still, to attend both if circumstances will permit.

At the commencement of the school year we offered an in-

ducement to the scholars, our object being to have a more regular attendance and a promptness on being at the school house to enter at bell call. In some schools the result has been good, and in others it has done no good. We are rather inclined to censure the parents when pupils enter the school room at any time between 9 and 10 o'clock, a. m., or from 1 to 1 1-2 o'clock p. m. The pupils in our village school are so inclined to be tardy! A teacher cannot do as well by the tardy pupil, or those who are present at bell call even, as he or she would do if all were prompt and in their seats at the moment for commencing school. We hope the parents will think of this and in the future co-operate with the school board and teachers in having our pupils punctual when school opens. We are grateful to those who have taken such a kindly interest in the schools as to visit them, and wish many more had have done the same. There are the names of 245 visitors as recorded in the register for the past year. The teachers have, as far as we know, carried out our wishes and suggestions as well as they could with the number of recitations they have been obliged to have.

We have maintained seven different schools and have had one hundred and seventy-five weeks of school in all. We have made some changes in text books which we think very much for the better, and it is necessary that more changes be made.

We will give the roll of honor as returned to us, giving the names of those who have not been absent or tardy:

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Arthur G. Wright, Harry E. Wright, Herbert C. Huckins, Ina G. Huckins, Della B. Huckins, Ralph Ramsey, Arthur True, Elmer H. Pease, Leon Pease, Nellie M. Randall, Stella M. Randall, Orville H. Brown, Henry J. Brown, Sidney E. Chandler, Walter N. Foster, Eva M. Breck, Lura A. Brown, Myra M. Clough, Alice G. Martin, Clyde C. Brown, Harold C. Brown, Lester C. Huckins, Isa M. Pillsbury, Tommy Robinson, Annie M. Witcher, Ivan S. Witcher, Archie L. Campbell, Edith M. Crosby, Susie A. McLaughlin.

Second Term—Arthur G. Wright, Arthur True, Ernest Howard, Ellen Keneson, Nellie M. Randall, Ned M. Breck, Wesley J. Breck, Orville H. Brown, Henry J. Brown, Harry U. Colburn, Clyde H. Colburn, Walter N. Foster, Lura A. Brown,

Alice G. Martin, Mary C. Martin, Clyde C. Brown, Harold C. Brown, Lester C. Huckins, Tommy Robinson, Annie M. Witcher, Viola B. Rogers, Mary A. Ahern, Susie A. McLaughlin, Willie I. Crosby, Stella M. Randall.

Third Term—Arthur G. Wright, Harry E. Wright, Russell M. Parker, Bert J. Downing, Orville H. Brown, Harry U. Colburn, Clyde H. Colburn, Eva M. Breck, Lura A. Brown, Alice G. Martin, Mary C. Martin, Lois C. Morrill, Clyde C. Brown, Tommy Robinson, Annie Witcher, Viola B. Rogers, Allan Downing, Ernest Savage, Willie I. Crosby.

Thanking teacher and scholars who have all shown us the utmost courtesy and respect, we submit this, our report of the schools for the past year.

FANNIE B. BOYD, EDWARD G. TENNEY, ISAAC S. CROSBY,	}	School Board.
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STATISTICAL TABLE.

Name of School.	Term.	TEACHER.										No. Schrs reg	Algebra
		No. Weeks.	Reading.	Spelling.	Penmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	English.	History.	Composition.	Physiology.	Book keeping	
No. 1	1 Edward G. Tenney.	7	11	11	11	10	9	8	3	3	8	7	2
	2 " "	12	11	11	11	11	11	6	11	3	7	4	2
	3 " "	6	7	7	7	7	7	3	7	3	4	4	2
2	1 Elmer E. Lyon.	8	22	22	22	22	20	5	12	2	17	6	4
	2 " "	10	24	24	24	24	23	15	13	1	1	1	1
	3 Mary M. Smith.	12	21	21	21	21	8	19	4	5	5	3	1
4	1 Millie G. Day.	8	11	11	11	8	8	7	3	8	5	3	2
	2 " "	15	12	12	12	8	8	8	5	3	2	2	1
	3 Hannah Ahern.	8	7	7	7	5	5	4	3	3	3	3	1
5	1 Eva A. Roberts.	9	6	6	6	4	4	4	2	5	2	2	1
	2 " "	6	7	7	7	5	5	5	3	5	6	3	1
	3 Elma C. Foster.	8	16	16	16	14	14	5	10	11	6	6	1
6	1 " "	7	19	19	19	19	10	11	1	5	2	3	1
	2 " "	10	19	19	19	19	10	11	1	5	2	3	1
	3 Ben B. Foster.	8	15	15	15	14	12	6	3	3	5	2	1
8	1 Lettie G. Colburn.	7	14	14	14	9	7	7	7	3	2	2	1
	2 " "	10	12	12	12	11	6	7	3	2	2	2	1
	3 Ardella F. Brown.	8	12	12	12	10	9	7	3	2	2	2	1
10	1 Lela G. Brown.	7	11	11	11	11	8	4	1	1	6	3	1
	2 " "	10	10	10	10	10	7	3	4	4	7	3	1
	3 " "	9	10	10	10	10	7	3	4	4	7	3	1

LIBRARY REPORT.

Our expectations, as expressed at the last annual March meeting, have been realized. We have received from the state the books due us. Said books are used with the Association books, which were leased to the town for three years, making about six hundred volumes for present circulation as a free town library. Since the library became free to all in town the circulation of its books has been largely increased, thereby making it a greater source for general distribution of information to the citizens of the town. The expenses of establishing and running the library for the past year is as follows :

Paid State Library Commissioners, for library	
supplies furnished us	\$12 40
Librarian, services and expenses	22 60
M. L. Aiken, for 1-4 cord stove wood	1 00
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Total expenses	\$36 00
Received in fines	1 88
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Balance of expenses	\$34 12
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The sum raised by the town for library purposes	\$50 00
Now remaining in the treasury	15 88

FRANKLIN EATON,	} Trustees.
J. B. FOSTER,	
L. W. CURRIER,	

WENTWORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY.

BOOKS FURNISHED BY STATE.

No.	BIOGRAPHY.	AUTHOR.
656.	Daniel Boone.	J. S. C. Abbott.
657.	Life of Columbus,	"
658.	" Miles Standish,	"
659.	Famous American Authors,	S. K. Bolton.
660.	" " Statesmen,	"
661.	" English " "	"
662.	Girls Who Became Famous,	"
663.	Poor Boys Who Became Famous,	"
664.	Autobiography,	Benj. Franklin.
665.	Life of Samuel Adams,	J. K. Hosmer.
666.	Washington and His Country,	Ivyng & Fisk.
667.	A New England Girlhood,	Lucy Larcom.
668.	Life of Daniel Webster,	H. C. Lodge.
669.	" Abraham Lincoln,	W. W. Stoddard.

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

670.	Poultry Culture,	I. K. Felch.
671.	Gardening for Profit,	P. Henderson.
672.	How the Farm Pays,	"
673.	Practical Floriculture,	"
674.	Farming for Boys,	E. Morris
675.	Success With Small Fruits,	E. P. Roe.
676.	The Home Acre,	"
677.	Dairyman's Manual,	Henry Stuart.

FICTION.

678.	Prudence Palfrey,	T. B. Aldrich.
679.	Standish of Standish,	Jane G. Austin.

No.	FICTION.	AUTHOR.
680.	Two Years Before the Mast,	R. H. Dana.
681.	But Yet a Woman,	A. S. Hardy.
682.	Sevenoaks,	J. G. Holland.
683.	Elsie Venner,	O. W. Holmes.
684.	Their Wedding Journey.	W. D. Howels.
685.	Rainona,	H. H. Jackson.
686.	Deephaven,	S. O. Jewett.
687.	Samantha at World's Fair,	Josiah Allen's Wife.
688.	Between the Lines,	Charles King.
689.	Colonel's Daughter,	"
690.	Marion's Faith (Sequel),	"
691.	Cudjoe's Cave,	J. T. Trowbridge.
692.	Neighbor Jackwood,	"
693.	The Gayworthy's,	A. T. D. Whitney.
694.	A Humble Romance,	M. E. Wilkins
GENERAL LITERATURE.		
695.	Essays,	R. W. Emerson.
NATURAL HISTORY.		
696.	Up and Down the Brooks,	M. E. Bamford.
697.	Wake Robin,	J. Burroughs.
698.	Bird Ways,	O. T. Miller.
699.	Little Folks in Feathers and Fur,	"
700.	Homes Without Hands,	J. G. Wood.
701.	Popular Natural History,	"
POPULAR HISTORY.		
702.	Blue Jackets of 1812,	W. J. Abbott.
703.	Ancient America,	J. D. Baldwin.
704.	Boys of 1876,	C. C. Coffin,
705.	Drum-beat of the Nation,	"
706.	Following the Flag,	"
707.	Old Times in the Colonies,	"
708.	New England Legends,	Drake.
709.	Beginnings of New England,	Fiske.
710.	War of Independence,	"
711.	Recollections of a Private,	W. L. Goss.
712.	Popular History of U S.,	J. C. Redpath.

No.	POPULAR HISTORY.	AUTHOR.
713.	Young Folks History of France,	Charlotte Yonge.
714.	" " Germany,	"
715.	" " Greece,	"
716.	" " Rome,	"

JUVENILE FICTION.

717.	Joe's Boys,	L. M. Alcott.
718.	Boy Life in U. S. Navy,	H. H. Clark.
719.	Joe Bentley,	"
720.	Winning His Way,	C. C. Coffin.
721.	Jed, A Boy's Adventure in the Army,	W. L. Goss,
722.	Tom Clifton,	"
723.	Betty Leicester,	S. O. Jewett.
724.	Honor Bright,	C. R. Talbot.
725.	Royal Lowrie.	"
726.	" at St. Olives,	"
727.	Mills of Tuxbury,	V. F. Townsend,
728.	Six in All,	"
729.	Phil and His Friends,	J. T. Trowbridge.
730.	Tinkham Brother's Tidemill,	"
731.	Satin-wood Box,	"
732.	The Little Master,	"
733.	His One Fault,	"
734.	Peter Babstowe,	"

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735.	Electricity in Daily Life.	
736.	Seven Wonders of the World,	C. Kent.
737.	The New Astronomy,	S. C. Langley.

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738.	Summer Journey to Alaska,	M. M. Ballou
739.	Lady's Life in Rocky Mountains,	J. S. Bishop.
740.	Zigzag Journeys in Classic Lands,	H. Butterworth.
741.	Boots and Saddles,	E. B. Custer.
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743.	A. Thousand Miles Up the Nile,	A. B. Edwards.
744.	Over the Ocean,	Curtis Guild.

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| 745. | Family Flight Around Home, | E. E. and S. Hale. |
| 746. | Teut Life in Siberia, | George Kennan. |
| 747. | White Hills. | Starr King. |
| 748. | Boy Travellers in Japan and
China, | T. W. Knox. |
| 749. | Round the Globe, | S. H. McColleston. |
| 750. | American Explorations in the
Ice Zone, | J. E. Nourse. |
| 751. | Arctic Explorations, | Mrs. Peary. |
| 752. | Great Cities of Ancient World, | H. A. Smith. |
| 753. | “ Modern “ | “ |
| 754. | Among the Isles of Shoals, | Celia Thaxter. |
| 755. | In Scripture Lands, | E. L. Wilson. |
| 756. | Catalogue of Dover Library. | |

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WENTWORTH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1895.

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of Child.	Sex.	Living or Still born.	No. Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Color.	Residence.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
April 11, '95	All in	E. Alice	Fem.	Living.	4	All White.	Joshua Colburn	Etta Wells	All White.	All in	Farmer	Wentworth	Bristol	38	32
10	Wentworth	"	"	"	1		Hiram Drown	Carrie E. Cochran		"	"	Haverhill	Piermont	24	23
18		Sarah E.	"	"	8		Fred A. Bruce	Sarah McAlvery		Wentworth	Landlord	Portsmouth	N. Y. City	42	39
May 21		"	Male.	"	1		Alfred N Heaton	Nellie E. Estes		"	Farmer	Enfield	Dorchester	31	22
26		"	"	"	2		H. E. Howard	Carrie E. Day		"	Clergyman	Lancaster	Derby, Vt.	41	32
June 4		"	Fem.	"	8		X. P. Wright	Emozene Harris		"	Farmer	Groton, Ms	Warren	45	38
19		Phebe	"	"	6		Isaac S. Crosby	Ella F. Knight		"	Manufact'r	Haverhill	Landaff	42	41
Oct. 27		Gladys Selena	"	"	2		V. O. Merrill	V. E. Follansbee		"	Laborer	Dorchester	Orford	24	18
27		Nellie E.	"	"			Wm. F. Jenks	Emma D Smith		"	Farmer	Lyme	Lyme	23	15
Nov. 29		Cora Bell	"	"	4		Ed. W. Whitecher	C. B. Richardson		"	"	Wentworth	Manchester	46	30
Dec. 5		Thos. Kitson	Male.	"	1		Thos. Kitson Bruce	Katie B. Jewett		"	Physician	Chelsea, Mass	Laconia	35	23

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WILLIAM H. DAVIS, Registrar.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WENTWORTH, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1895.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name of Groom and Bride.	Res. at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation.	Birthplace.	Name of Parents.	Parents' Birthplace.	Occupation.	Condition, if wid. single and No. mar.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
March 13	Manchester	Max W. Whitecher	Wentworth	21	All White.	Tel operat	Wentworth	Will. A. Whitecher	Wentworth	Farmer	First	W. C. McAlister Manchester,
		Mamie E. Powers	Dorchester	19		Domestic	Dorchester	Calvin T. Powers	Dorchester	"	"	Clergyman.
March 30	Wentworth	F. L. Whitecher	Wentworth	19		Farmer	Wentworth	O. O. Whitecher	"	"	"	T. W. Darling, Wentworth
		Nora G. Stevens	Rumney	17		Domestic	Rumney	O. L. Stevens	"	Laborer	"	Clergyman
June 15	Haverhill	Will Beamis	Haverhill	23	All White.	Farmer	Haverhill	John Beamis	Haverhill	Farmer	"	M. V. B. Cady, Haverhill
		Bertha Crane	Wentworth	20		Mechanic	Wentworth	William Crane	England	R. R. man	"	Justice of the Peace.
June 25	Wentworth	Walter C. Davis	"	24		Farmer	"	E. G. Davis	"	Farmer	"	Jerry S. Cross, Vershire, Vt.,
		Rebecca Whitecher	Dorchester	19		Domestic	Dorchester	Joseph Whitecher	Wentworth	"	"	Clergyman.
Sept. 25	Ashland	Geo. F. Plummer	Wentworth	33	All White.	Clerk	Wentworth	George Plummer	Belmont	"	"	J. D. Gilliland, Tilton,
		Nellie E. Emmons	Ashland	34		Tel operat	Concord	Gustav. Emmons	Bristol	"	"	Clergyman.

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WENTWORTH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1895.

Date of Death	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of Deceased.	Years Mos.	Days	Birthplace.	Sex.	Color.	Occupation	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Name and Address of Physician reporting Death.
Feb. 19	Wentw'h	Lutie M. Downing	7	8	20	Wentworth	Fem.		Miron Downing	E. A. Ellsworth	T. Kitson Bruce, M. D.
March 3	"	Thos. P. Huckins	1	4	"	"	Male		Thomas Huckins	Mary E. Rodman	" "
4	Norwich	James H. Radford	27	9	25	"	"	Laborer	James Radford	Cynthia Eames	Cyntha Radford, Mother
20	Wentw'h	Eliza A. Ford	45	3	28	Warren	Fem.	House keep	Lovell Clement	Sarah Leonard	T. Kitson Bruce, M. D.
April 11	"	Leua B. Downing	22	9	1	Orford	"	"	Thomas Huckins	Mary E. Rodman	Enos Huckins, M. D.
May 22	"					1	Wentworth	Male	Alfred N. Heaton	Nellie E. Estes	T. Kitson Bruce, M. D.
June 11	"	Emily Ellsworth	83	10	"	"	Fem.		Samuel Ellsworth	Esther Flood	E. G. Sprague, M. D.
12	"	R. May Drown		2	"	"	"		Hiram W. Drown	Carrie E. Cochran	T. Kitson Bruce, M. D.
21	"	Chloe Clark	84	"	"	"	"	House keep			" "
July 10	"	Beliada Ellsworth	72	8	20	Ellsworth	"		Jonathan Downing	Sally Avery	F. A. Durkee, M. D.
Aug. 19	"	Samuel Smart	78	6	8	Wentworth	Male.	Farmer	Jeremiah Smart	Relief Haines	T. Kitson Bruce, M. D.
Sept. 22	"	Joseph Savage	92	23	"	Wolfboro	"	"	Benjamin Savage		" "
Oct. 23	"	Phebe L. Burnham	71	4	"	Wentworth	Fem.		David Sanders	Phebe Rowen	E. G. Sprague, M. D.
Nov. 7	"	Daniel F. Caverly	68	9	"	Orford	Male	Merchant	Joseph Caverly	Olive Gage	T. Kitson Bruce, M. D.
14	"	John J. Purcell	25	"	"	"	"	Laborer			E. G. Sprague, M. D.
15	"	John T. Page	68	13	"	Wentworth	"	Farmer	Ephraim Page	Elenor True	T. Kitson Bruce, M. D.
26	"	Abbie Cook	88	2	"	"	Fem.		James Harriman	Abigail Harriman	F. A. Durkee, M. D.
27	"	A. Bert Brown	27	2	3	"	Male	"	Joseph Brown	N. M. Batchelder	E. G. Sprague, M. D.

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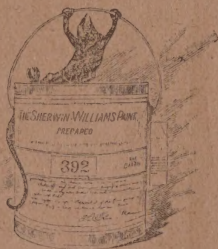
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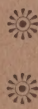
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